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# THE STRATHMORE STANDARD

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ROCKYFORD  
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STRATHMORE  
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## Keoma Municipal Council Meeting

The Council of M.D. Keoma met in regular session on May 1st, 1926, at the Council Hall, at 2 p.m. The following members being in attendance: Reeve Scratch and Councillors Messrs Walker, Donkin, Ruemiller, Bates and Thurston.

The minutes of the previous meeting were adopted.

In regard to a road diversion in N.E. 1/4, 427-24-4, Mr. Thurston reported that this piece of ground was an alkali flat and of no value. He recommended that he offer the C.P.R. the sum of \$10.00 to settle the recompense for the land taken.

A letter was read from A. Stewart, land surveyor, Lacouche, Alta., asking for position as Municipal surveyor, on motion the secretary was instructed to file same.

Correspondence was read from Mr. Ed Reynolds re an outstanding account of road work in Division 3, to which Mr. Reynolds had never replied.

Representatives were present from the Canada Ingot Iron and Western Steel Products, and addressed the Council on the various lines.

Correspondence was read from the Department of Agriculture on the subject of pests, such as cut worms, grass hoppers, etc. Also a letter inviting the weed inspectors to attend the convention of weed inspectors at Oids.

No action was taken in this respect.

Mr. Thurston reported on the matter of road diversion in Sec. 57-27-24-4 as 2.9 acres of land taken from Mr. H. V. Nelson, he proposed that he be offered \$150 in final settlement for land and fence.

The secretary read a letter on the changes on the hall insurance and distributed copies of the new act to the Council.

Mr. J. W. McCulloch, Reeve of Village of Iritana, presented and requested the Council to allow the Poundkeeper, W. C. Lester, to make arrangements with the village for a police pound if he so wishes. On motion this was acceded to.

Information was submitted from the Department of Municipal Affairs that their qualified assessment had been raised approximately 25 percent, and that the total for our Municipality should be fixed at \$2,651,010.00, being \$2,651,010.00 on the farm lands and \$14,000.00 on the hamlets. On motion the Secretary was requested to accept the fixed value on the surrounding municipalities.

On motion the secretary was instructed to notify the C.P.R., C.N.R. and the Irrigation departments that we are instructing our weed inspectors to enforce the weed act very strictly, and would be glad if they would co-operate by the cutting of the weeds on their respective properties.

On motion the secretary was instructed to obtain the latest hand books for the various poundkeepers.

Correspondence was read from Mr. H. H. Hoenes, requesting settlement of road diversion in N. 1/4 9-26-24, and on motion it was agreed to offer him \$25.00 per acre for the land taken, and to erect the fence on the south side of the diversion. It was agreed that the Council would not consider building a cattle pass.

On motion the Council set the 29th day of May as a day to drive over the various roads of the District to inspect the road and lay out the road work for the season.

Dr. Chisholm, of Iritana, was present, and reported on locating in that point, and requested that he be granted M.I.C.O. for that portion of the municipality surrounding his office. On motion it was agreed to allow him the north half of the municipality.

The secretary was instructed to write the Department of Municipal

Affairs for copy of the new Municipal District Act.

On motion the secretary was instructed to write the C.P.R. in care of Mr. Stockton, at Strathmore, to have them erect a bridge over their railway between section 2-26-24 and section 35-26-24. Also to have them erect a fish screen in the mouth of their spillway from the Bruce Lakes.

On motion the Council set the Municipal tax rate at 5 mills on the new assessment.

## Alberta Conditions Reported Excellent

WINNIPEG, May 10.—The fine weather of the past week and continuing warmth of the weekend make this week's crop report of the agricultural Department of the Canadian Pacific Railway a very optimistic one. It is reported that the weather has been unusually prevalent this spring, and are proceeding with oats and barley, or getting land into shape for reception of these seeds. High winds have been unusually prevalent this spring, and have had the effect of drying out the top soil and causing some of the seed to blow out. Subsoil moisture appears to be adequate everywhere, taking everything into consideration, conditions are decidedly good, and the rains of the week will result in a very early start for the growing season.

It was decided to hold a Plowing Match on the land of Jos. Fossier, north of town, on June 16th, and a strong committee was named to arrange the events and prize list. This should prove a great attraction as no similar event has been held in the district for quite a long time.

The list of events will be published as soon as they are available, and all those who wish to compete should get in all the training possible beforehand.

The directors have asked the Baseball Club to put on a game in the evening, and they have also taken the Hall for a dance at night so that a full day's enjoyment should be had.

The secretary-treasurer read a statement of the financial position of the society at date, and also reported the results of the Horse Sale.

Full information on the Plowing Match can be obtained from Fred J. Dunn, secretary-treasurer, by phoning 38 or 91.

The directors are open to accept special prizes for the various events, and it is also expected to stage some demonstration of plowing with tractors.

## WINNER OF KING'S PRIZE WINS QUEEN'S SCHOLARSHIP

OTTAWA.—Two years ago Desmond E. Burke, Ottawa, won only 19, startled marksmen the world over by winning the coveted King's Gold Medal at Bismarck, emblem of the best shot in the British Empire. Prize money he won at Bismarck that year amounted to nearly \$2,000, which was brought up to \$5,000 by presentations made by his proud fellow-citizens of Ottawa.

With this money he decided to put himself through Queen's University. He has been awarded the Stanford Fleming Scholarship (first year) in science by the university. At the same time, his name was announced as being one of the members of the 1926-27 Bismarck team for the third consecutive year.



MAYOR MEDERIC MARTIN  
Once more elected Mayor of Strathmore, this time with a majority of twenty-two thousand votes.

## SHAW NOMINATED FOR BOW VALLEY PROVINCIAL SEAT

BASSANO, May 11.—Captain J. T. Shaw, of Calgary, leader of the Alberta Liberal party, was unanimously chosen provincial candidate for the Bow Valley riding at the constituency convention here.

Bow Valley seat was long held by Mr. Justice C. E. Mitchell. Mr. Shaw's predecessor in the leadership, Mr. Shaw was nominated by L. D. Nesbitt, seconded by R. H. Strubers.

The candidate in his speech of acceptance, promised a hard, fair fight, with no quarters shown.

## STRATHMORE AND DISTRICT AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY

The directors of the above society met on the 6th inst., and a large volume of business was transacted.

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## STRIKE CALLED OFF

The British general strike was called off at noon on Wednesday, but the miners' strike to continue pending the general conference called for Friday next.

## Died Suddenly at High River

The people of Strathmore were shocked on Friday last to learn of the sudden death of Robert Inglis, at High River.

Mr. Inglis was employed at the Marshall Drug Store and had just reached his place of business and collapsed while opening the door.

Charles Clark, of the High River Times, and his daughter were proceeding to Calgary, and just as they passed the drug store Miss Clark noticed that Mr. Inglis had fallen. She informed her father, and he quickly drove back, but by the time Mr. Inglis had passed away.



"TONY" MCKINLEY  
"Tony" McKinley Provincial Grand Organizer for the B.P.O.E., which was Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks has taken up quarters at the King Edward Hotel and announces that a Lodge of Elks will be formed in Strathmore.

## ELK LODGE BEING ORGANIZED IN STRATHMORE

An Elk Lodge will be formed in Strathmore in June, according to "Tony" McKinley, Provincial Organizer, who arrived in town a few days ago. After making a survey of the situation he reported favorably to the District Deputy, who yesterday sent him O.K. and the work of taking application is now under way.

The territorial jurisdiction of Strathmore Lodge will extend over quite a big district and applications are expected from as far as Yorkton on the north, from the Carleton Place on the south, from the Nampa district to the east, the Nightingale and Baintree territory and half way to Calgary west.

The Elk Order is becoming as popular in Canada as it is across the border in the United States. It is said to encourage and develop a fine community spirit, getting people of all stations of life, young and old, and people of all creeds together in one big fraternity. It is noted for the good it does and the way in which the Lodge provides fun and entertainment at its meetings appeals very strongly to its members.

Especially to farmers who like something in sharp contrast to the quiet life of the farm when they attend the meetings. Mr. McKinley invites any person who is interested to call on him or phone for information at the King Edward Hotel.

He was a former proprietor of the Strathmore Hotel, having sold that business to the present owner, Mr. Harry Thurnham.

Mr. Inglis was very popular in Strathmore, and was a member of the Town Council, and his many friends were very much grieved to learn of his sudden demise.

## Strathmore Stampede Will Be Bigger and Better

PROBABLE DATE WILL BE JULY 14

A meeting of the members of the G.W.V.A. was held on Tuesday night, and the question of repeating the big stampede of last year was discussed and met with a very enthusiastic endorsement of the members present.

July 14 is the proposed date when the stampede program would be put on from 12 to 6 p.m., followed by a boxing bout in the skating rink in the evening and a dance in the Memorial Hall.

## Plans Ready For Catholic Pilgrimage

CHICAGO.—Committees are busily canvassing the city to make a success of the transformation of Chicago into the church centre of the world on June 26 to 24.

During that time more than 1,000,000 persons, members of both the clergy and the lay faithful will be here to attend the Eucharistic Congress of the World.

Every hotel in the city will be taxed to its capacity. It is expected these will take care of 250,000 of the delegates. Every room in the city available for renting purposes is being registered. All hotels and restaurants, as well as home owners, are being cautioned to have sufficient food on hand to care for the immense crowd.

## BASEBALL AT CARLELAND

Next Saturday is the date for the regular meeting of the U.F.A. There will also be a Wheat Pool meeting for the purpose of electing delegates from this district. Every Wheat Pool member should make it a point to be present.

In order that Carleland people may know how the Community Hall fund is progressing, the following statement has been submitted by Mr. Harry Pakenham:

Dance	\$63.90
Stating party	24.45
Dance and Box Social	24.45
Ladies Aid	200.00
Public Benefit Club	168.67
Dramatic Society	212.50
Interest, March 31	.59
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$875.51</b>

Mr. Pakenham has been custodian of the funds since the work for the Community Hall was begun, and feels that the time has arrived when it should be handled by a Finance Committee, and that now is an opportune time for perfecting a hall organization.

A meeting for this purpose has been called for Thursday, May 20, at 8:30 o'clock, to be held in the school house for the above named purpose, to which everyone interested in the Carleland Community Hall is invited.

## UNITED ACTION ON FREIGHT RATES

Various interests concerned in Alberta are united with the Provincial Government in the attitude to be taken in connection with the investigation into freight rates to commence later this month.

## HEAVY MOVEMENT OF POTATOES FROM WEST

More than 1,000 cars of potatoes were shipped to eastern Canada and United States points during March and April over Canadian National lines, according to the statement of freight officials of that company at Winnipeg.

## LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Dear Sir,

Owing to an error in your account of public meeting, regarding cost, quoted for electric light, I would be glad if you will publish the following figures, to oblate any misunderstanding.

The table shows cost per hour and per hundred hours for various sizes of lamps at 18 per kilowatt hour.			
Watts	Candle Power	Hour	100 Hrs.
25	30	45c	45c
40	72c	72c	72c
50	40	90c	90c
75	70	1.55c	1.55c
100	100	1.80c	1.80c
Yours truly,			
G. E. KILBURN			

"Niggah, I'm goin' to back you up 'gainst 'at wall. I've goin' to 'mash 'em nose all over 'at face. I've goin' to push dose teeth down 'at throat and black both 'at 'eyes, 'at 'cetera."

"Black man, you don't mean at cetera, you mean vice versa."



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\$1.50 Pipes for **50c**  
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HOUSE PAINTS  
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## HEARD ON THE STREET

Clark: "I'm a pet of tomorrow!"  
Employer: "You've been a pet of today."  
Clark: "I want to get my eyes examined."  
Employer: "Get a good job done. You'll be looking for work after the first."

A home-to-home canvasser was met by the lady at the door. "In the house," asked the canvasser timidly. "Yes," she snapped. "In him!"  
"I had to stay at home with father," said the boy who was late at school.  
"Wouldn't someone else have done?"  
"No, teacher, 'cos he was giving me a spanking!"  
"Did you behave in church?"  
"Course I did," said Francis.  
"I heard the lady look at us say she never saw a child behave so."

"Tell what your husband said to you," demanded the court.  
"Oh, I can't," said the witness. "I don't lie for a decent person to hear."  
"All right," said the magistrate. "You lean over here and whisper it to me."  
In a Calgary church, the minister announced his text: "Paul we know and Apollo we know, but who are these?"  
Just as his voice rumbled away into silence, a new usher who was showing two strangers into a pew, turned to the minister and replied: "Two men from Strathmore, sir."

Maiden lady (to druggist): Is your cod cream good for wrinkles?  
Druggist: "Madam, it would take the wrinkles out of corrupted linen."  
The average man professes to be above petty gossip. But there are blamed few who won't stop to listen when their wives hand out a bit of scandal about a good-looking wife in the neighborhood.

**IN THE CHAIR**  
She felt his soft breath on her cheek. And the gentle touch of his hand. His very presence here. She remembered a house on the desert sand. He didn't cough her lips. Her head he did not. Then he broke the silence with: "Shall the filling be alive or white?"

"Isn't it difficult to keep a lady straight?" asked one lady.  
"My dear, it's terrible!" confided the other lady. "This month I had to put in four mistakes to make nice talk."  
Even in this day of tinny hair lotion it is easy to pick out the man at the Banff pool, opines Frank Miller. They don't mind getting their bathing suit wet.

A Calgary couple got married in an undulating establishment. Well, comments Fred Nye, people who don't fear marriage these days shouldn't fear death either.

Tony Grogan says: Figures that have attracted men: Venus de Milo, St. Dennis, and Annette Keller, man.

Figures that have attracted women: 12.95.

Little Strathmore girl: "Let's play at being married!"

Little Strathmore boy: "We can't. Mother said we were not to make a noise!"

Landlady tells Moll that he had better marry the girl and save money. Stuffs and potatoes don't cost as much as candy and flowers.

Occasionally one will hear the remark: "I wish I was out of this town," and then one feels like saying, "I wish you were," for the man who stands on the street corner cursing the town because the streets are dusty, finding fault with his surroundings because there was a woman, claiming that the merchants are a lot of thieves, that everybody is trying to skin a man to the bone, and a lot more, is a nuisance, and the sooner that he packs his troubles and vanishes the better for the town.

## RATES FAVOR U.S. MINERS

Toronto Telegram—Freight rate on Canadian coal from Alberta to Ontario is to be raised from \$7 per ton to \$9 per ton.

On with the increase.  
Let the C.P.R. and C.N.R. freight rates on Alberta coal shipments to Ontario be raised to \$15 or \$20 per ton.

Canada's railway system must not be operated as an agency for the creation of a Canadian market for



**POLES:** A great amount of scientific research has been made since the first preacher was born. They have favored trial chicken since early in 1903 A.D. A preacher really has a hard time of it, reports one authority. He has to face a congregation of sinners an hour and a half every Sunday, and then come around and shake hands with all of them as they pass on.

A Namska girl sat on the sand along the beach of Eagle Lake. The moon illuminated the waters and covered her and her bashful swimmer with all the romance of which a girl ever dreams. She let her hair caress his balding face, and even when her head rested on his shoulder, it brought no results. Wistfully she crooned: "Why don't you kiss me?"

"I can't," he said, "some sand got in my mouth."

"Swallow it, boy, swallow it," she said. "If any one ever had need of sand, you certainly are the guy."

A group of little Landon girls had been playing with their dolls when a discussion arose and the mother of one, who the others were visiting stopped to listen. "Well," said one little girl, "I don't believe in stories, the doctor brought me in his black bag."

"And I was brought in the drug store," piped up another. A pause and then another said: "We are too poor to be a few I must have been home-made."

**A Few Notions:** A doctor: A bag of loaves which will prevent all the bees besides from stinging at the top.

A telephone ring that will tell us of the color and of the hair of the person who answers it.

A self ball with a gossamerous attachment that will sing out: "Here I am!"

An adjustable ring that will fit the usual number of girls who become engaged to during the summer.

An umbrella's scales which will concentrate the fisherman's story.

A piano that will sound the same as a girl playing it as it does to the neighbors.

A well-known judge was noted for his gentle manner with prisoners. On one occasion he was dealing with a poor fellow who looked miserably broken and contrite. "Have you ever been sentenced to imprisonment?" the judge asked in a sympathetic way.

"Never, never!" exclaimed the prisoner, bursting into tears. "Don't cry," said the judge, consolingly, "you're going to be row."

The maddest man in town last night was the one who was dragged from off to a dinner one hour after his new radio had been installed. In self defence, he declared: "We don't need a radio, anyway. My husband is the loud speaker, my son is the intercom, and I am the static."

"So you would cross my path, would you?" muttered old man Hattestache of the Stone Age, as he seized the black cat and hurled her far out on the cliff toward the dizzy depths. But the cat set her feet squarely and came to a stop on the very brink of the chasm, and thus came into the world the first use of four feet being.

A real estate salesman tried to sell a house to a pair of Calgary new-weds. Said the wife: "Why buy a house? I was born in a hospital ward, reared in a boarding school, educated in a college, courted in an automobile, and married in a church; live in an apartment, spend my mornings playing golf, my afternoons playing bridge, and my evenings we dance or go to the movies; when I'm sick I go to the hospital, and when I die I shall be buried from an undertaker's. All we need is a garage with a bedroom."

Fred Nye says there are not many women afterstrappers here, because they never can wait that long.

the output of Canadian mines. Canada must and shall be preserved as a happy hunting ground for the United States greed of the Pennsylvania coal trust. What are freight rates on Canadian railways good for if they are not to advance the prosperity of Pennsylvania and retard the progress of Alberta and Nova Scotia?



## NEW PRICES AT STRATHMORE

TOURING	\$ 890
ROADSTER	\$ 890
COUPE	\$1090
COACH	\$1090
SEDAN	\$1200

(5 Balloon Tires and full Standard Equipment included at these prices.)

## NEW MODELS NOW ON HAND AT STRATHMORE.

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We cannot fill the calls we have for Male Stenographers.  
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## CARSLAND

Harold Smith says it's impossible to have flowers and chickens on the same lot, but Harold isn't very fond of flowers.

"Have you any alarm clocks?" inquired a Carsland customer. "What I want is one that will arouse father without waking the whole family."

"I don't know of any such alarm clock as that, Madam," said Frank Cradock behind the counter. "We keep just the ordinary kind that will wake a whole family without disturbing father."

Never admonishes Mike Brown, believe a woman when she says she is "done with men," a man when he says he is "through with women," a dentist when he says "It's your turn."

The notorious Grogan visited Carsland on Tuesday last night, arriving from Namska very sore of foot, but in his usual frame of mind. His shoes beginning to fail on his pigskin, Grogan repaired them at Namska by making a number of Calgary shoes top to them; a walking advertisement at the famous beverage, as it were, after partaking of a hand-out at the Chateau Miller, Grogan was proceeding across Main Street, explaining to one of the boys all about the purple perfume he had seen chasing two time fish across the Bar U ranch, south of Namska, when suddenly he tripped on Carsland's new cement sidewalk, breaking in places an old pool ball he had been carrying in his vest pocket for protection. Grogan says that the sidewalks on Main Street are too hard for his tired feet.

Grogan thinks hotel rates are going up so rapidly that he expects to have to curtail the number of trips he will make to the Carsland and Strathmore districts. He claims that the margin of profit will not stand for an increased expense account.

## CHEADLE

Ms. O. G. Craig is staying a couple of weeks in Calgary with Mrs. Stuenkel, who has been seriously ill.

Mrs. Tony Securus has a brother from France visiting with her at present.

Mrs. L. Thompson (nee Marguerite Allou) is visiting at the home of her parents for a short time.

Mrs. Helen and Coy Miller and Leslie Miller and family were weekend visitors at home.

Mr. George ... who has been seriously ill, is not improving in health very fast.

Gro. Jackson and S. Lundmark, said a car of beef to Roy Gendler, which were shipped from here Tuesday.

New swags were put up for the school children the past week, and are a great source of enjoyment.

O. G. Craig, H. Groves, Rev. A. D. Currie, and W. E. Mercer were Masonic visitors to Calgary Thursday night.

Seeding will be about completed this week in the district, outside of a little green feed and oats.

Alan Lindsay has disposed of his property north of town, but Dick Craggs will farm it this year for the new owner.

## INCREASED ACTIVITY IN HOMESTEADING

During March of this year there was an increase of 540 in the number of homesteads taken up in the prairie provinces as compared with the record for the corresponding period last year. In the same period the number of solid-garnered entries was 718 against 120 a year ago and 75 soldier grants against 38. Of the homesteads 222 were taken up in Manitoba, 201 in Saskatchewan, and 188 in Alberta.



# ALWAYS SOMETHING NEW AT THE G. & F. STORE

## THIS WEEK A SPECIAL OFFERING IN Boys' Footwear



Boys' Chocolate Color Elk Shoes, blucher cut, with moccasin style toes. A special feature of this shoe is the 'Panco' Sole. This sole is guaranteed to outwear the best oak tan leather, and being flexible gives real comfort to the boys for Summer wear.

Sizes 8 to 10½, priced at, per pair ..... \$2.50

Sizes 11 to 13, priced at, per pair ..... \$2.95

Sizes 1 to 5, priced at, per pair ..... \$3.75

### Boys' JERSEYS

Pure Wool Jerseys with button collar in shades of heather, with neat stripe trim in contrasting color, \$1.95, \$2.25 and \$2.50

### Cotton Jersey PULLOVERS

In plain colors or with fancy trim. Big value ..... 60c

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Bloomer style, with the 'Governor' knee fastener, made of heavy tweed, serge, or corduroy, \$2.50, and ..... \$2.75

### MENI SPECIAL FOR YOU! KHAKI PANTS

for summer wear, outstanding value at, per pair ..... \$1.95

## GOOD BUYS IN OUR GROCERY DEPT.

White Star Baking Powder, the kind that contains no alum, 12 oz. for 25c, 2½ lbs. for 70c, 5 lbs. for \$1.35.

Magic Baking Powder (no alum) 12 oz. .... 30c

2½ pounds ..... 95c

Waterglass, 2 lb. size (for 12 doz. eggs) 2 for ..... 55c

Blue Ribbon Tea, 2½ lb. pkt., for ..... \$1.65

G. & F. Red Label Tea, Our Special, pound ..... 65c

Pendray's Pearl, Borax and Glycerine Soap, 4 for ..... 25c

Ivory Soap Flakes, 2 pkts. for ..... 45c

Shelled Walnuts, halves, very special, pound ..... 45c

Alymer Soups (Canadian made) in vegetable, celery, oxtail, tomato, green pea, 2 tins ..... 25c

Mothers Pure Cocoa, in 2 lb. pkts., per pkt. .... 40c

Welch's Grape Juice, a delicious drink, bottle ..... 40c

iodised Stock Salt, 50 lb. blocks, each ..... \$1.30

Pressed Glass Water Jugs, good quality, at ..... 90c

Pressed Glass Berry Sets, good quality, ..... \$1.50

Pressed Glass Cream Jugs ..... 35c

Pressed Glass Butter Dish ..... 45c

Pressed Glass Sugar Bowl, with cover ..... 60c

Pressed Glass Salt and Pepper Shakers, 2 for ..... 25c

Yellow Dutch Onion Sets, 4 lbs. for ..... 95c

## GATENBY & FISHER

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### PREMIER AT OTTAWA

with the settlement of the Peace River Railway problem. During his visit to the East, Premier Brownlee also conferred with Ontario authorities regarding shipment of Alberta Ottawa and Montreal in connection coal eastward.

## Locals

H. Kruse, of Kruse and Bateman, Calgary, was in town on Wednesday. Mr. Kruse has been connected with the real estate business, specializing in farm lands, and was one of the first salesmen to place land in the Strathmore district, many of the farms having passed through his hands.

Councillor Quinn was acting as chaperon to Messrs Kelly and Allen, who were looking over the town in regard to the work of installing the electric power lines and poles. Members of the crew are busy at work in Bassano and it is hoped that as soon as the work is finished there that it will be begun in Strathmore.

## CHURCH BULLETIN

**UNITED CHURCH, STRATHMORE**  
In the worship next Sunday will be music and words that emphasize the place and dignity of Motherhood. The second Sunday of May is Mother's Sunday. Wear, for her sake, the "white flower of a blameless life." Namania—Service opens at 11 o'clock. Chadde—Service opens at 1:30 o'clock. Strathmore—Church School at 11 a.m. Church worship at 7:30 o'clock. "What a Young Man Believes" will be the theme.

ARTHUR H. ROWE, Minister

## ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

1st Sunday of month, Mass at Carlesland 9 a.m., Strathmore 11 a.m. 2nd Sunday of month, Mass at Langdon 9 a.m., Strathmore at 11 a.m. Rev. J. E. DUGGAN, Pastor

## ST. MICHAEL AND ALL ANGELS CHURCH

Sunday, May 16, 1926  
11:00 a.m., Holy Communion, Strathmore.  
12:15, noon, Sunday School and 1st Class.  
7:30 p.m., Evensong.

Services conducted by Rev. H. L. Nobbs, of Blairmore and Coleman. A. D. CURRIE, Incumbent

## CARLELAND UNITED CHURCH

Carlesland—Sunday School 2 p.m. United Service 2 p.m. Blairmore—United Service 11 a.m. Sunday School 12 a.m. Illing Creek—United Service 7:30 p.m. Rev. PERCY JOHNSON



## FAMOUS HISTORIAN DIES

Miss Janet Carmichael, who devoted her life to the collection of Canadian historical data and relics, who has passed away in her 87th year. She founded the Niagara Historical Society and was its president for thirty years.

## SCHOOL COLUMN

At a meeting of the Bow Valley Teachers' Alliance it was decided to hold the second Annual Sports Day on Friday, May 28th, at the Strathmore school grounds. Details of these sports have been mailed to all teachers of the district. It is hoped that all school boards will cooperate to the extent of giving their respective schools a half-day's holiday.

School Fair Prizes have been mailed this week to all teachers of competing schools. As the Summer holidays are very close, and the Fair is so soon after the opening of school for the Fall term, we trust that all teachers will make a point of collecting the best samples of their pupils' work for exhibit, before the end of June.

If any teacher wishes Agricultural Bulletin, Insect Pins, Plant Monarch Cards, they may be had on application to the secretary.

The Carlesland and Strathmore High School baseball teams met twice last week. On both occasions the Strathmore boys won by a comfortable margin.

Returns for April show that there were 176 pupils in attendance at Strathmore school with an average attendance of 155. Sixteen has been ascertained so that the percentage of attendance was only 88 per cent. of the possible. Nine new pupils were added to the rolls during the month. There were 75 pupils whose attendance for April was perfect.

In the High School report last week May Teachers should have been given credit for 12 and 6 units instead of 12 and 5.

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## LINE TO A FROG

What a queer bird the frog are! When he sits, he stands, almost. When he walks, he sits, almost. When he sings, he cries, almost. He ain't got no sense—hardly. He ain't got no tail—hardly, either. He sit on what he ain't got—almost. —John Jacobson

## A REMINDER

Tony Ted—"Daddy, why does Uncle call Mummy your better half?" Dad—"To remind her that she's not the whole show, my boy?"

Life Insurance Examiner: "Ever had an accident?" Applicant: "No." "Never had any kind of an accident at all?" "No. Except last year a bull tossed me over a fence and roamed me with his horns." "Well, don't you call that an accident?" "No, sir. The bull did it on purpose."

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**J. E. McCREADY**  
87-year-old writer on the Charlottetown Guardian, and a famous newspaper man, who is residing in the United States that Canada is ripe for annexation with a vehement demand drawn from his long experience. He is the last survivor of the first parliament of the Confederation.

CHOW CUT TO THE CORNER, UNK AND I'LL BUY YOU A CIGAR AND PAY THAT ONE BUCK THAT OWE YOU."

"SINCE YOU'RE BUYIN' I THINK I'LL TAKE ONE OF ONES BUD"

SURE! MIGHT AS WELL TAKE A DOLLAR ONE

BUD! WHAT'S THE IDEA! YOU OWE ME TWO DOLLARS—THIS IS ONLY ONE DOLLAR AND A HALF!

OH YOU CHEAP WATE !!!

"I BOUGHT TH CIGARS, DIDN'T I??"



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## FIFTH ANNUAL TOUR TO THE PACIFIC COAST

Special Train Leaving Winnipeg July  
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ways. Entertainment Provided at  
Various Points of Interest en Route.  
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Following the close of school for the  
summer holidays, the Canadian Na-  
tional Railways will sponsor its  
popular "personally conducted" tour to  
the Pacific Coast. This will be the fifth  
of such tours.

This mode of travel has many ad-  
vantages. In the first place, it is  
planned with a view to including in the  
itinerary the most interesting points,  
which, with the other arrangements  
that are made, obviates the necessity  
of the passenger worrying about con-  
nection, sleeping car accommodations,  
meals, and entertainment en route.  
This is all done in advance by experts,  
leaving the passenger free to enjoy to  
the full the scenery and attractions en-  
countered on such tours.

The tour this year will commence at  
Winnipeg, from which point a special  
train of modern sleeping car equip-  
ment, dining car and radio observa-  
tion car, will leave July 5th. After stop-  
ping at various points of interest, the  
train will arrive at Prince Rupert on  
July 16th. At this latter point the  
party will embark on a palatial steamship  
for a cruise of 550 miles through the  
famous "Inside Passage" to Van-  
couver. While the tour terminates at  
Vancouver, those who desire to make  
a trip to Victoria may have their  
tickets read "Victoria" as their des-  
tination without any additional cost.

The local agent of the Canadian Na-  
tional Railways will be pleased to give  
you full particulars of this tour.

A CLEW

(Exchange)

The man who dashed into the police  
station at half-past two in the morn-  
ing looked as if he had been having  
a nightmare.

"My wife!" he gasped. "I want you  
to find my wife! Been missing since  
eight this evening! Oh, find her for  
me!"

"What's her description?" asked  
the sergeant. "Height?"

Alberta are well situated as compared  
with those in other parts of the  
country. I am going to hold on to

## Meeting of M. D. Grasswood

A regular meeting of the Council of  
the Municipal District of Grasswood,  
No. 218, was held on May 1st. All  
members were present. Minutes of  
the previous meeting were approved.

A road program was then discussed  
from all angles, and it was on motion  
decided that the secretary is hereby  
authorized to purchase one 12-foot  
Adams Grader in accordance with pro-  
posals made by the Adams Co., that is  
to say that the purchase price is to  
be \$2,000.00 on next year's term.

It was on motion decided that the  
municipal district hire W. Ruhl's  
caterpillar engine at the rate of \$7.50  
per hour. Mr. Ruhl to furnish all  
oil, gas, and driver, and that the  
municipality hereby agree to guaran-  
tee at least thirty (30) days work.

It was moved and carried that

Councillors Fraser and Beaudet are

authorized to act in the behalf

of the council in making the neces-  
sary arrangements to engage a fore-  
man who is to take charge of all road  
work and also a grader man to take  
charge of the 12-foot grader.

The meeting then adjourned for

June.

Pursuant to adjournment the meet-  
ing was called to order at 1:30 p.m.

The question of dragging roads was

then fully discussed and it was agreed  
that more dragging should be done,  
therefore, it was on motion decid-  
ed that thirteen plain drags, all  
street or \$12.00 each delivered, be pur-  
chased. Three to be delivered to M.  
Drummond, at Rosedale; two to be  
delivered to C. A. Smith, Rockyford; two  
to be delivered to J. A. Campbell, Ros-  
edale; two to be delivered to C. A.  
Brown, Tudor; one to be delivered to  
H. L. Barr, Rosedale; and one to be  
delivered to M. M. Foster, Standard.

The question of whether or not it  
was advisable to buy a small tractor  
to be used for road dragging and main-  
taining roads was fully discussed.

Various types of engines were con-  
sidered. It was finally on motion decid-  
ed that the municipality purchase a  
Fordson, equipped with a five (5) hp  
power tremore.

It was moved and carried that the  
council make a general inspection of  
roads through the district on May 15th,  
and that the Council meet at  
Rockyford at 8 a.m.

It was moved and carried that  
\$12,000.00 be appropriated for general  
road purposes, and \$2,000.00 to go to  
each district, namely, districts 1, 2, 3,  
4, 5, & 6.

It was moved and carried that E.  
W. Past is hereby appointed weed  
inspector under the same condition as  
in the previous year with authority  
to make every effort to induce the far-  
mer who may have dirty land, to erad-  
icate all weeds.

Mrs. L. M. Lenglet being present at  
the meeting, presented a statement  
for \$20.00, being a claim for an Old  
cure, which was used by the council  
in connection with road dragging.

After some consideration the bill was  
passed and the secretary instructed  
to send a cheque for same.

It was on motion decided that \$10  
be paid to A. McLaughlin for land  
exported for road purposes from  
section 12-27-21-4.

By-law No. 24, relative to grant for  
Salvage Army was given the third  
reading and passed.

By-law No. 25, relative to road driv-  
ing was introduced in open Council,  
and after three readings, same was  
unanimously passed.

By-law No. 26, relative to building  
a municipal office was then introduced  
in open Council for third reading, and  
after considerable discussion, pro and  
con, was passed as read. Relating to  
By-law No. 22, bonuses were offered  
as follows: The Village of Standard  
agreed to donate \$10,000.00 and loca-  
tion, providing the Council would build the  
Municipal office in Standard; Rocky-  
ford agreed to donate \$10,000.00 and  
two lots, providing the office would  
be built in Rockyford. This proposi-  
tion was accepted by the Council.

A communication was read from  
the Drumheller Hospital Board  
requesting that the Council levy 2 1/2  
cents per acre on all lands situated in  
the Drumheller Hospital District, and  
2 mills on all urban property. The  
secretary was on motion instructed to  
levy taxes in accordance with said  
demand.

A communication was read from the  
School Fair Association at Standard.  
It was on motion decided that the  
Municipal District of Grasswood make  
a grant of \$5.00 per room to the fol-

lowing schools: Daan, No. 2505, \$15.00;  
Rockville, No. 2967, \$5.00; Long Beach,  
No. 2391, \$5.00; C. X. No. 4025, \$5.00;  
Chimney Hill, No. 4126, \$5.00.

A requisition for Rabbit Lake School  
District, No. 4176, for \$176.56 was on  
motion allowed, and the secretary is  
hereby instructed to levy amount to  
cover said amount on all lands sit-  
uated in the Rabbit Lake School Dis-  
trict.

A petition to the council for opening  
up a road allowance on the West side  
of section 39 and 31-25-22-4, signed by  
a number of taxpayers, was read and  
considered. It was on motion decided  
that the Council would look into this  
matter and again take it up at the  
next meeting for final decision.

The plans and specifications for the  
municipal office were submitted to the  
council and accepted as read.

The following correspondence was  
read: Department of Agriculture, re-  
lative to Army Cutworms; T. J.  
Stephen, relative to meeting at Old  
of weed inspectors; Canadian Pacific  
Railway, relative to land payment re-  
road allowance on the S. 1/4 section  
9-25-21-4; P.R. Assessment Glennan  
School District; Mrs. A. T. Davis, re-  
lating to road allowance on her land;  
City Hospital, Calgary, relative to Al-  
bert Jackson, hospital account; Dept.  
of Municipal Affairs, relative to de-  
struction of pests and weeds.

A number of bills were then on mo-  
tion allowed, and ordered paid.

## ROCKYFORD

Dr. J. D. Hewson and family have  
arrived in Rockyford from New Nor-  
way, to practice in this district.

Miss Clara Treese, of New Norway,  
has come to Rockyford to take a po-  
sition in the drug store.

Miss Cecile McGill has been trans-  
ferred from the local telephone sta-  
tion to Strathmore.

New telephone have been installed  
as follows: Mr. C. A. McIlwain, 59, Mrs.  
H. Sanderson R205.

Mr. Dupre, government post office  
inspector paid a visit to Rockyford  
this week.

Mr. Hugh Lewis and children have  
been on a visit to Mrs. John Barker  
of Strathmore.

On Tuesday, March 11th, Miss A.  
Beese was united in marriage to Mr.  
Albert H. Erwell by Rev. Father Boite  
at St. Rita's rectory, Rockyford. The  
bride looked charming in a lavender  
satin dress with scarlet gossamer  
trimmings, and hat to match; carry-  
ing a bouquet of white carnations.

The ceremony was performed in the  
presence of immediate relations. Mrs.  
E. Erwell and Charles Erwell, her  
brother and brother of the groom, came  
from Edmonton for the wedding.

After the ceremony the party left for  
the home of the bride's parents, Mr.  
and Mrs. L. Beese, of Baintree, where  
a fairly wedding breakfast was  
served. The happy couple left on the  
evening train for Calgary. The best  
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Litt, of Rockyford, to "No, but  
mamma always asks me to become  
it makes visitors go home!"

Gladys: "Do you like to rectify?"  
Litt: "Rockyford girl!" "No, but  
mamma always asks me to become  
it makes visitors go home!"

"I never saw such dreamy eyes,"  
said Bert. "You never stayed so late,"  
said she.

**HOW FAST CAN YOU SAY THIS?**  
Betty Botter bought some butter,  
"But" said she, "this butter's bitter;  
If I can put it in my batter  
It will make my batter bitter,  
But a bit of better butter  
Will make my batter better."

So she's bought a bit of better  
Butter than the bitter butter.  
And made her batter better.  
So 'twas better Betty Botter  
Bought a bit of better butter.

Bert Erwell: "When is the best  
time to marry?"  
Pessimalist: "If you are young, not  
yet; if you are old, never."

## EXCURSIONS

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## BAINTREE

The regular meeting of the U.F.A. and C.F.A. was held at the school house on Saturday night, May 8th. There were about 125 people in attendance, and a very lively meeting was carried on. The buying of our own load of fence posts, cooperatively, was considered. An interesting discussion which took place on the report duty which showed all the members very much opposed. A short program was then staged. Mrs. O. H. and Miss Godfrey playing piano solos, Mrs. B. O. Wyman giving two solos, and Miss Reid entertained with a step dance. Dancing was enjoyed until twelve o'clock, when refreshments were served. Many thanks are due to Mrs. B. O. Wyman and also Mrs. Olson for the dance music. The next joint meeting will take place on Saturday, June 5, and a lively program is being arranged.

The regular U.F.W.A. meeting which was to have been held at Mrs. Mable

Godfrey's, on Wednesday.

Mrs. Bonie, of Tudor, is planning to be with us on Thursday, and plan the millinery class project. Also, the flower seeds purchased cooperatively, will be ready for distribution. Every woman in the district, whether living on a farm or not, is cordially invited to attend these meetings and become a member.

On a Saturday in the very near future, a sale of home cooking and a tea will be held at McEneaney's in Rockyford. Watch for further announcement.

A taffy-pull will be held at the H. Godfrey home on Saturday night, May 22. Each person will be charged ten cents, the benefits to go to the U.F.W.A.

## MADE A MILLION IN TWO YEARS

Seven years ago a young man named J. E. Tucker walked through the streets of New York with 10 cents in

## STANDARD

An interesting event took place at the home of Mrs. C. S. B. last last Friday afternoon, when the Women's Institute entertained at a luncheon-cum-shower in honor of Miss Carla Castella, a bride-elect of this month. About fifty guests were present to see Miss Castella home. The living room and dining room of Mrs. Latt's home, were very effectively decorated with pink and white streamers, and white wedding bells. After the guests were assembled, Mrs. J. B. Peterson and Miss Jean Peterson delighted them with a piano duet. This was followed by "The Garden Elopement," a reading by Mrs. Kowloon. Miss Castella and Little Miss Eva Milne presented her with a much beruffled cloche basket, topped with a dainty parol of pink and white ruffles, underneath which a dainty bride rested on a bed of interesting parcels. Before opening the parcels she was presented with a beautiful twelve-ster silver clock beautifully engraved, the gift of the Women's Institute. Miss Nannie Low and Miss Elan Larsen assisted the bride-elect in unwrapping the many beautiful gifts, among which were many fine pieces of china, dainty linen, and useful kitchen ware. After the basket had been emptied of its precious load, the Institute ladies served a most delicious and bountiful lunch, after which the most delighted bride-elect wished Miss Castella every happiness during her new life.

## FUNERAL OF MARIUS PAULSEN

The Danish Lutheran Church was filled to overflowing last Sunday afternoon, when nearly everyone in Standard gathered there to pay their last respects to "a stranger in a strange land."

The occasion was the funeral of the late Marius Paulsen, whose untimely death on Monday evening April 12th, brought to a sudden close the life which he had just begun in Canada.

The late Mr. Paulsen was only twenty-three years old, and he had arrived in Canada just three weeks before the shocking accident. He had no relatives in Canada, and is survived by a widowed mother in Denmark.

When the news of the fatal accident was brought to the notice of the Standard by Miss Loe, which was conveyed the night of his death to their semi-monthly meeting, they immediately decided to make all funeral arrangements.

Mr. Guy Armstrong, of Armstrong's Funeral Home, Calgary, was a visiting knight at Pioneer Lodge, and he was called upon to offer his services to the lodge, which were graciously accepted.

And so it came about that when the hour of the service arrived people had gathered from far and near to listen to Mrs. E. Koller's sympathetic address, and sing the old funeral hymns for the lad who had left home and loved ones and come so far to make Canada his home.

Mease Hans Grounberg, Nels Kilgand, Magnus Nelson and two of his friends, who had come from Denmark with him acted as pall bearers. Over four cars followed the casket to their last resting place; interment being made in the Standard Village cemetery.

His pockets. It was his entire capital. Tag week his life was insured for \$1,000,000. Tucker now a real estate dealer, with offices in Cambridge, N.Y., and New York, was represented as being the youngest man in the United States to hold that amount of insurance. His financial rise began when he paved his way for travel to Philadelphia, where he got a job as a riveter in the Camden ship-building yard. From amid humble beginnings he became a real estate salesman, six months later had organized his own firm, and in two years was rated a millionaire.

## IMMIGRATION SHOWS VAST INCREASE

An increase of more than 140 per cent. in immigration over 1925, flows into western Canada up to the end of April over the same period of last year is announced by colonization officials of the Canadian National Railway. An even more striking comparison is that of the Canadian National's farm employment service statistics. From the beginning of the year up to date the company has placed in farm work more newcomers than during the entire season of either 1925 or 1924, and 4,000 more than had been placed up to the end of April last year.

## SCOUT NOTES



## FIRST STRATHMORE TROOP

The officers and members of the Troop are to be considered very fortunate in securing Mr. White, late of the 14th Cub Pack, Calgary, as Cubmaster in place of Cumnor, Brown, who was transferred to Daiches.

"Ted" has already settled down to business and the Cubs have already shown him some of the sights locally while on signalling practice.

At Monday's meeting the scouts all expressed their desire to attend the rally in Calgary on May 20th, where the Calgary and District troops will meet Sir Alfred Pickford, Scout Commissioner for Overseas and Migration from Imperial Headquarters. An exceptionally fine program has been arranged by the Executive in Calgary, and in order that the local boys shall have an opportunity of taking part Scoutmaster Fred J. Dunn will be very glad to hear from any citizens interested in scouting who will assist in autos to get the boys there in good time. Two cars will be sufficient, and if these are not available most of the boys are very much in favor of "biking" there.

If any of our local residents can help with their autos they should communicate with Scoutmaster Dunn as early as possible so that the question of transportation can be settled.

## LANGDON

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bridger, of Calgary, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. Bishop.

Mrs. Barker spent last week-end with her husband, who is relief agent at Tilley.

Mrs. R. Cowen, of the Colgrave Apartments, Calgary, was hostess at a delightful party when party on May 6th, which she entertained for some of her long-landed friends. The following ladies were present: Mrs. S. Scott, Mrs. A. McNeil, G. W. Wainey, Mrs. E. Mae, Mrs. W. Albion, Miss E. M. Jarrold, Mrs. A. Smart, Mrs. E. Armstrong, Mrs. K. McNeil, Mrs. J. Lloyd and Miss Edgar.

Rent school boys played baseball at Langdon Friday, and were defeated by the home boys. Score 15 to 21. Rent school last Langdon school in a game of volleyball. Score 14 to 14.

Several from here went to Carleton on May 7th, and saw the home talent play, "A Mistake." All reports a splendid play.

The W. I. meeting, May 5th, was in the form of a farewell party for Mr. Dye, and was held at the home of Mrs. L. Hillie, Mrs. V. E. Dye assisting. A shower and the presentation of gifts to Mrs. Dye were features of the afternoon. Mrs. Dye and child rode off on Saturday for their new home at Alis and the best wishes of the community go with them.

A new woven wire fence is being put around the school grounds. Stone-planting will be done so trees can be planted later, and the school board is to be commended for these improvements.

Mrs. and Mrs. P. Duff and Inebel of Carleton, were guests at the J. Brander home Sunday.

A baptism service will be held at the United Church Sunday, May 16th, at eleven o'clock, by Rev. A. D. McDonald.

The following contributions to the Langdon and Bow River School Fair are gratefully acknowledged: S. Macphail, \$2.00; G. Whitten, \$2.00; W. Strull, \$2.00; A. Keller, \$2.50; W. Parls, \$2.00; J. Miller, \$1.50; J. C. Porter, \$2.00; Wm. Barron, \$2.25; G. Fraser, \$1.00.

## WHERE AGNES SAW MARY

(From the Dundalk Herald)

"Miss Macphail may be prime minister of Canada some day," said one of the speakers using a prophetic tone. Indeed she might—and Mary Macphail will never be president of the United States.

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NERO FIDDLER.  
HAD NOTHING ON THIS BAND

PALM BEACH.—Nero had nothing on the West Palm Beach municipal band. Almost every time they "fiddle" something burns.

On March 15, 1926, the band was playing "There'll be a Hot Time in the Old Town Tonight," at the athletic field here. As it played the Breaker hotel burned to the ground. Tuesday, as the band was playing "Keep the Home Fires Burning" at

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Orlando, a \$25,000 warehouse burned down a block away.

The following day the band played at Lake Kola, and as it struck up the strains of "Red Hot Mama" fire burst forth in a private hospital across the lake.

Fire Chief Alfred Butler said the band should be equipped with asbestos uniforms.

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Get in the boost wagon, boost your home town and it will boost you. Make your town a home town.

## ACTIVE POLITICAL WORK WILL SOON BE IN ORDER

The Provincial Elections will at most to a Surety Be Held in The Month of July.

The Parties have been quite active in securing the best available Candidate and Premier Brownlee will soon be returning from Ottawa where he is dickering with the Dominion Government for railway concessions and no doubt is hoping to have something definite about the national resources to present to the people.

Joseph T. Shaw the new Liberal Leader, may now be said to be very much in the fray having accepted the nomination from Bow Valley. Mr. Shaw may be depended upon to carry on an aggressive campaign, and his many admirers are quite convinced that his accepting the leadership has materially strengthened the Liberal Party, and that he will have quite a following in the next Legislature.

Mr. A. McGillivray is working most aggressively and will no doubt make much better showing than any other provincial leader that the Conservative party has had.

Unfortunately he depended very much upon another defeat by the Brownlee Government, and no doubt is sadly disappointed not to have such a condition upon which to base his campaign.

However, with Mr. McGillivray's ability, no doubt he will be able to make a very fair presentation why the Government should be defeated.

The campaign is bound to be a most vigorous one, and it would not be at all surprising if a similar condition should develop to that which now exists at Ottawa that not one of the parties would have a clear majority such as the result of the election, it would not be inimical to the best interests of the people. The rank and file of the respective parties will not worry very much regarding the outcome of the contest.

## LIGHT AND POWER BY LAW HEARTILY ENDORSED

On Friday last the Electric Light and Power Bylaw was submitted to the qualified electors and endorsed by them 71 to 6.

This endorsement of the agreement arranged by Mayor Bell and the Councilors, must be very gratifying and also encouraging to them in their efforts to make Strathmore an up-to-date town.

The Standard is informed that the United Electrical and Engineering Co. had made arrangements in advance, pending the ratification by the voters, to begin their work at the earliest possible moment. Therefore it may be expected that light and power will be available probably within the next four months. The Standard is absolutely convinced that the electors will have no cause to regret their action in ob-

taining this modern service. It is now up to the mayor and council to make their plans to make use of the power in order to provide better fire protection at the earliest possible moment, and then direct their efforts in securing a new adjustment of fire insurance rates, which are a heavy outlay for the merchants and business firms, and help to make overhead business expenses higher than are necessary, but something over which the merchant has no control. In securing lower rate for insurance, their will be no objection, made by the fire underwriters, because the risks through better fire protection become less hazardous, and it is the extra hazard which creates the higher rates. In fact we believe that the insurance people will assist with suggestions that will lower the rate.

The reduction in the rate should make a saving that will almost more than offset the extra cost of street lighting.

In any case it will partially do so, and in addition we will have the benefits, convenience, and absence of danger by the use of the twenty-four hour service that is to be given by the United Electrical and Engineering Company.

## EDITORIAL NOTES

Don't pity the fellow with the hoe; he may only be looking for bait.

Leader A. A. McGillivray has opened his campaign in Peace River country this week, and will hold six meetings.

One advantage that a pedestrian has, is that he don't have to change gears while avoiding some of the speed kings.

Canada's trade has grown from \$1,500,000,000 in 1921-22 to over \$2,250,000,000 in the year just ended on March 31.

Premier Brownlee, in saving the oil companies the once over, has discovered that all those with Dominion charters are subject to the provincial tax of 40¢ per \$1,000 of their capitalization.

The members of the Parks Committee of the Town Council are being congratulated upon the splendid work that is being done in cleaning up the park and the cultivating of trees and shrubs. They are making a real job of it.

There are no ceremonies announced with the general clean-up campaign ordered by the Council, but if the order is not complied with, there will likely be before Magistrates Lambert and Vickery get through with you. Take a tip from the Standard and get busy.

The political assassins of James St. Clair, are endeavoring once more to get the head of one Hon. Arthur Meighen. Mr. Meighen no doubt is handicapped in his leadership in many ways, but none greater than the persistent stiletto work that is being carried on by the assumed leaders of Big Business.

It is just as easy to escape death and taxes as it is to avoid cleaning up the backyards. As Mayor Bell has instructed the secretary-treasurer, Mr. T. M. Wears, to hang, draw, and quarter all offenders after the 10th of May. You might just as well do it good-naturedly as there is absolutely no excuse of escape.

The month of May is the time when the average householder realizes what a real collection of cans and general useless waste may be accumulated without any special effort. Where it comes from is the conundrum, and the only escape from friend Wears is to send for the drayman and tell him to

## Of Interest To Trapshooters

On Wednesday evening, May 12th, at 7 p.m., the Strathmore Gun Club will hold a trap-shoot at their grounds opposite the station. As this is the first shoot of the season, the club anticipates a good attendance and a fine evening's sport. Whether you are a member or not you are invited to be present.

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The 10th May has passed, and if you have not given attention to the matter of cleaning up all garbage and refuse from your premises you are very likely to find yourselves summoned before Magistrates Lambert or Vickery, or both of them, and you will be put to expense and annoyance, and then have to comply with the by-law. Do it now and avoid trouble.

William A. Boys, M.P., chief Tory whip, of Ottawa, apparently used his good graces very effectively in securing the release of the goods of one Volsberg, who attempted to bribe the customs subcollector at Barrie, Ont. Mr. Boys is not very active in the customs probe now proceeding at Ottawa. Up to date Hon. R. B. Bennett has not made a special effort to have Mr. Boys recalled.

President E. W. Beatty, in addressing the Canadian Daily Press Association, very pointedly told them that what Canada needs more than anything else is tariff stability, which Mr. Beatty states is common sense and not politics. He stated if he met a high tariff man and a low tariff man he would be disposed to say to them, "gentlemen, fix it up between yourselves, but fix it and make it reasonably stable."

Having paid your income tax, you will have a few days grace before Mr. T. M. Wears will have the pleasure of telling you how much he will require in order to carry on the next year. Don't get confused and think that he has also recalled the exemption, like the Dominion Government, for as far as the Standard can ascertain, he has no intention of doing any such thing, but will be around one of these

fine mornings looking for the last nickel.

Many individual citizens often say that they would like to do something for their home town, but that they are lacking in having any particular gift for public work, hence do not know when or where to begin. Here is one suggestion in which they may begin: Don't keep your grocer, hardware merchant, baker and butcher waiting for payment of your last month's account. Pay them promptly so that they may avail themselves of cash discounts with their wholesalers. These discounts not only are important in themselves, but they also make business worries much lighter. Try it.

## PROVINCE WILL HAVE TEXT BOOKS

Arrangements are now being completed for the handling of all public and high school text books for the schools of the province, by the Alberta Department of Education. The department will purchase all text books and will sell them to school boards, dealers and others at a list price, which will be at cost to the government. The price for all text books will be uniform to everybody in the province, but school boards, dealers and others ordering large quantities will be allowed a 15 percent reduction. The province will pay freight on all shipments, but those asking for shipments by express must assume the difference between the freight and express charges. Postage charges will be paid on all orders sent by post. It is estimated that the new system will save the people of the province at least 15 per cent. on the former cost of school text books.



